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Mail Stop Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed March 15, 2007, Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit in the amount of \$120.00 as required for the filing of this Response. Also, if there are any additional fees due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account for those additional fees or credit the account for any overpayments regarding this Response.

Respectfully submitted,

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